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“Frank-James” Memorial Home
(Cottage Hospital,)

EAST COWES, I.W.

FOR

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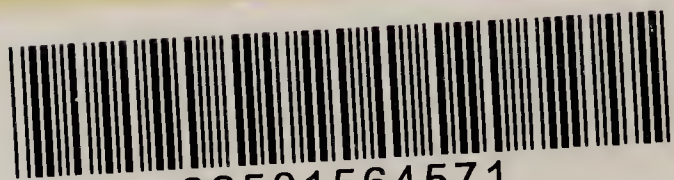
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to H.R.H. Princess Beatrice, The President, and the Governors of the
Institution for the year 1927—28.

The Committee of Management beg respectfully to submit to H.R.H. Princess Beatrice, the Vice-Presidents and Governors, the Twenty-fifth Annual Report of the working of the Hospital, as carried on by them during the past financial year, which ended June 30th, 1928.

During the year, 211 patients were admitted (1926-7—164) and the average length of stay was 17·57 days.

The ordinary income amounted to £2055 15s. 5d., and shows an increase as compared with the previous year of £45 15s. 11d. Workshop collections are up £80 approximately, receipts from Entertainments £7, Annual Subscriptions show a gratifying increase of £15 but decreases will be noticed under the following:—Patients' Payments, Congregational Collections, and Counter boxes.

Contributions from the Matron's Linen League realised £3 10s. 0d.

The Committee's best thanks are gratefully accorded to the members and friends of the R.A.O.B. for their very generous donation of £50, resulting from the Sunday and House-to-House collection organised by them in September 1927, also to the Cowes Amateur Orchestra, the East Cowes Conservative Club, Cowes Operatic Society, Mr. J. O. Barton, Cowes Primrose League, "Wight Strollers," Toc H, Merry Revellers, East Cowes "Sparklers" Concert Party, Mr. H. S. Guy, Gurnard Horticultural Society, Mrs. Noall, Mr. A. E. Lowein, Mr. Ansell's Dance Band, Gurnard Boys' Brigade, Mr. F. S. Garrett, Mrs. M. Denham and the Primrose League Buds, Mr. C. Joyner, Mr. W. Chessell and E. Cowes Jazz Band, The Misses Caws and pupils of Solent House School, Mr. McKinness, Mr. H. G. Garrett, Mr. B. Bolwell, and many other kind supporters for arranging dances, entertainments, etc., and generously giving proceeds of same to the hospital.

Thanks are also due to Mrs. A. Forster, Mrs. Kingsnorth and Mrs. M. Denham for kindly organising the Alexandra Rose Day Collections in Cowes and East Cowes: it is highly satisfactory to find that this Collection again exceeds that of the previous year.

The expenditure including the deficit of £58 11s. 2d., as at July 1st, 1927, amounted to £2120 13s. 1d. This includes a heavier expense than usual in consequence of the re-organising of the Electrical Department, which, owing to the illness and subsequent resignation of Dr. H. W. Ewen, the Hon. Radiographer, had to be closed temporarily last winter. Dr. G. R. Denton kindly undertook the duty of re-organisation and this important department was re-opened in April of this year. In this connection a further heavy expense is contemplated and will be absolutely necessary (as soon as the I.W. Electric Light & Power Co. have completed their arrangements for the change over from direct current to alternating) to provide various items of equipment so that electrical treatment may be extended. A sum of £200 to meet the probable cost has been reserved accordingly, of which a generous contribution from Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Saunders of £100 10s. 6d. in commemoration of their Golden Wedding is gratefully recorded. A new heating apparatus for the Operation's Theatre, the Men's Ward, and Ward adjoining has been installed at a cost of £112 15s. 0d., towards which Mrs. Edgar Seymour generously subscribed a sum of £100.

The thanks of the Governors are due to the Hon. Medical Staff for devoted service rendered to the Hospital throughout the year.

The Committee wish to record grateful thanks to all Subscribers for their financial support, also to the various Members of the Sub-Committee for their time and ability in managing the Institution; to the Hon. Collectors, to the Hon. Secretary and Members of the visiting Committee for their services generously rendered on behalf of the Hospital.

To Sir G. Shedden, J.P., C.A., Chairman and Hon. Treasurer; Mr. G. W. Ball, J.P., C.A., Vice-Chairman; and to Mr. H. W. Ewen, Hon. Secretary, for the zeal, ability, and efficiency with which they have discharged their respective duties.

To the Matron, Nursing Staff and the Assistant Secretary for their zeal and devotion to the work.

To the Cowes and E. Cowes U.D. Councils, and the I.W. *County Press* for help in many ways generously rendered.

The Committee's sympathy is again extended to Mr. G. Groves, in his continued ill-health.

Deep regret will be felt generally for the loss sustained by the Hospital in the death of G. Fellows, Esq., O.B.E., J.P., an esteemed member of the General and Management Committees since their formation in 1902. His valued services will be sadly missed.

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Signed on behalf of the Committee,

G. SHEDDEN,
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1st October, 1928.

BAZAAR AND FETE, 25th and 26th JULY, 1928.

Following the suggestion of H.R.H. Princess Beatrice, expressed at the last Annual Meeting of the Governors, a special Committee was formed and as a result of their enthusiastic and energetic endeavours a very successful Fete and sale of work, etc. was held at Northwood Park, Cowes, kindly lent for the occasion by Col. H. J. Ward. A sum of £423 10s. 7d. has been paid in to bank to the credit of the Hospital as a result of the Fete Committee's efforts.

The General Committee desire to place on record their appreciation and grateful thanks to H.R.H. Princess Beatrice for her gracious interest in this matter and for kindly presiding at the opening ceremony. They also wish to thank Lady Shedden for opening the Bazaar on the second day as well as all the members of the Fete Committee who generously gave time and service and the many friends who by their unstinted and efficient help contributed to its success. Special thanks are tendered to Mr. J. Gladstone May, Chairman of the Committee, to Lt. Comdr. B. H. Birch, Hon. Organising Secretary, to Mrs. A. Forster, Mrs. J. G. May, Mrs. Derham, Mrs. Dyett and Mrs. Denham for valued assistance in organising the various stalls, to Mr. L. T. Whitting, Hon. Treasurer, and to Mr. Saml. Lovett, Hon. Secretary. Thanks are also gratefully accorded to all ladies and gentlemen who held charge of the various stalls, refreshment tents and side shows, to the Palmist, Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, East Cowes Sea Cadet Corps, "Merry Revellers" Concert Party, Mr. W. E. Cook, Mr. G. Gates, Mr. J. H. Brown, Mr. E. Nichols, Mr. H. Allemande and to their many able helpers for erecting stalls, etc. loaned gratuitously by the St. Mary's and St. Faith's Church Fete Committee, and others. Thanks are due also to Mr. H. S. Saunders, Mr. A. Meech and to Mr. Cross for loan of trolleys for carting, to Mr. G. Marvin for loan of timber, etc., to Mr. T. Ratsey, Capt. Wynne and Messrs. Dear & Morgan for the loan of flags, to the Rev. J. C. Meyer for soliciting advertisements and presenting one thousand programmes free of all cost. To the members of Toc H and V.A.D. for barrel organ collection, also to Madame Eve for presenting hat for competition.

The amount raised will enable the Committee during the coming year to effect various necessary and expensive repairs, in addition to the cleaning and painting of the building exterior, which have had to be deferred because of the lack of funds.

MEDICAL REPORT.

Diseases of the Digestive System	...	8
Diseases of the Respiratory System	...	3
Diseases of the Urinary System	...	4
Diseases of the Circulatory System	...	2
Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System	2

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SURGICAL REPORT.

Diseases of Digestive System	28	Diseases of the Chest	...	2
Diseases of Throat, Nose and Ear	...	Fractures and Dislocations	...	10
Diseases of Generation—	74	Burns and Scalds	...	2
Male	...	Needle in hand	...	1
Female	...	Varicose Veins	...	5
Diseases of Bones and Joints	6	Rodent Ulcer	...	3
Sebaceous and other Cysts	12	Tuberculous Glands	...	5
Tumours of the Breast	9			
Abscesses, Wounds and Bruises	17			192

SUMMARY.

Medical ... 19 Surgical ... 192 Total—211

OPERATIONS.

Appendicectomy	...	24	Hernia, Radical Cure	...	10
Tonsils and Adenoids	...	73	Amputation of Toes	...	3
Ovariectomy	...	2	Tumours of the Breasts	...	9
Currettings	...	10	Other Tumours and Cysts	...	10
Hysterectomy	...	1	Urethral Caruncle	...	1
Laparotomy	...	1	Mastoid (Trephining)	...	1
Perforated Duodenal Ulcer	...	1	Hydrocele	...	1
Circumcisions	...	4	Tuberculous Glands	...	5
Abscesses, Wounds and Bruises	17		Scalds and Burns	...	2
Varicose Veins	...	5	Empyema	...	2
Haemorrhoids	...	1	Needle in Hand	...	1
Punctured Wound of Hand			Sebaceous and other Cysts	...	12
Tetanus (following)	...	1	Rodent Ulcer	...	3
Amputation of fingers	...	3	Hallux Valgus	...	2
Fractures and Dislocations,					
Leg, 6 ; Arm, 2 ; Ribs, 1 ;					205
Dislocation, 1	...	10			

DENTAL OPERATIONS.

Concomitant with other diseases ... 32

ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT.

RADIOGRAPHS.

Total—138.

THERAPEUTIC CASES.

Neuritis	...	15	Sciatica and Lumbago	...	5
Rheumatoid Arthritis	...	2	Paralysis	...	1

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Attendances 598

MEDICAL AND SURGICAL REPORT

For the Year ended June 30th, 1928.

PATIENTS.

<i>Admitted</i>		<i>Discharged</i>	
In Hospital 1st July, 1927	7	Cured	192
Admitted during the year	211	Relieved	6
		Died.....	2
		To other Institutions.....	2
		Remaining in Hospital 1st	
		July, 1928.....	16
	<u>218</u>		<u>218</u>

Average stay in Hospital—17·57 days.

HOW ADMITTED.

<i>Free.</i>			<i>Paying.</i>		
Recommends	Accidents	Emergencies	Ordinary	Emergencies	Accidents
144	11	37	10	8	1
<u>192</u>			<u>19</u>		

Total 211.

TOWNS AND PARISHES FROM WHICH PATIENTS CAME.

Cowes	117
East Cowes.....	64
Whippingham	6
Northwood, including Gurnard.....	19
Accidents and Emergencies, persons residing in other Towns.....	1
Yachts, Admiralty Vessels, etc.	4
	<u>211</u>

NUMBER OF PATIENTS ADMITTED SINCE THE OPEN-
ING OF THE HOSPITAL IN THE YEAR 1903 TO JUNE

30th, 1928.....	4607
Viz.—	
Cowes	2572
East Cowes.....	1295
Whippingham and Osborne.....	113
Northwood, including Gurnard.....	373
Yachts, etc.....	100
Accidents and Emergencies, persons residing in other Towns.....	154
	<u>4607</u>

Included in the above there are 547 Accident and 980 Emergency cases.

The "Frank-James" Memorial Home (Cottage)

General Account, Year

1926-27.			RECEIPTS.			1927-28.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	0	0	0			...	0	0
			Balance brought forward, 1st July					
			A. ORDINARY.					
175	6	6	Annual Subscriptions	...	190	5	7	
471	13	7	Workshop Collections	...	552	0	9	
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647	0	1				742	6	4
82	15	0	Donations	120	1	5
43	1	4	Congregational Collections	36	8	8
150	16	8	Entertainments	157	16	11
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	923	13	Paying Patients		1056	13
	135	3					122	8
		1						9
			Interests :					
157	10	0	4½ per cent. Conversion Stock	157	10	0
163	9	0	3½ per cent. Conversion Stock ...	...	...	163	9	0
64	1	8	East India Railway 3 per cent. Stock ...	...	...	64	1	8
62	11	2	L. M. & S. Railway 4 per cent. Deb. Stock	...	...	62	11	2
77	0	8	India 3 per cent. Stock ...	...	...	77	0	8
39	14	4	India 3½ per cent. Stock...	...	...	39	14	4
76	16	4	Metropolitan Water Board	...	...	76	16	4
31	13	2	Income Tax returned	31	13	2
0	0	0	Deposit a/c at Westminster Bank	5	10	7
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	672	16					678	6
		4						11
			Amounts per Hon. Collectors :					
21	17	5	Matron's Ward Boxes	26	3	5
19	6	4	G. Groves, Esq.	11	15	11
20	12	2	G. W. Gates, Esq.	11	11	6
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	61	15					49	10
		11						10
			B. ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT.					
	0	0					2	12
		0						1
			C. SUNDRIES.					
1	5	6					0	0
0	0	0	Pound Day		15	6
40	0	0	U. of W. Health Insurance Committee...	...	...		0	0
60	12	10	Alexandra Rose Day	...	...		62	18
53	0	0	R.A.O. Buffaloes' Sunday Collection	...	...		50	0
61	12	9	Xmas Ballot & Concert per Mr. E. F. Chiverton	...	...		0	0
0	0	0	Matron's Linen League	...	...		3	10
0	0	0	Hants Football Association		15	0
0	0	0	Ancient Order of Frothblowers		14	0
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	2009	19					2055	15
		6						5
			D. EXTRAORDINARY.					
0	0	0	Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Saunders	100	10	6
0	0	0	Mrs. Edgar Seymour	100	0	0
0	0	0	Mrs. A. L. Fellows	50	0	0
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	58	11	Deficit, 1st July		250	10
		2					14	7
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	£2068	10					£2320	13
		8						1

GEORGE SHEDDEN, Hon. Treasurer.

H. W. EWEN, Hon. Secretary.

S. LOVETT, Assistant Secretary.

Hospital), East Cowes, Isle of Wight.
ended 30th June, 1928.

1926-1927.				EXPENDITURE.				1927-28.				
£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
			128	0	7		Deficit, 1st July			58	11	2
A. MAINTENANCE.												
Provisions :												
171	17	2					Meat, Fish, Poultry	200	6	0		
218	15	11					Butter, Cheese, Bacon, Milk, Eggs ...	209	9	9		
105	3	9					Bread, Flour, Groceries	108	8	8		
26	6	9					Vegetables, Fruit, Sundries	31	19	7		
			522	3	7					550	4	0
Surgery and Dispensing :												
44	4	10					Drugs, Chemicals, etc.	42	7	6		
65	6	2					Dressings, Bandages, Appliances, etc. ...	44	14	7		
7	15	10					Wines, Spirits, Minerals, and Ice ...	4	18	1		
			117	6	10					92	0	2
Domestic :												
34	7	4					Bedding, Linen, Furniture, etc. ...	37	1	2		
94	10	4					Cleaning and Washing	105	6	5		
259	11	1					Fuel and Light	240	1	3		
			388	8	9					382	8	10
Establishment Charges :												
80	19	6					Rates, Taxes, and Insurance	79	18	8		
109	4	4					Repairs	71	6	1		
4	6	0					Garden and Grounds	26	1	0		
			194	9	10					177	5	9
Wages :												
317	6	4					Nursing	284	15	5		
96	9	5					Domestic	81	8	3		
71	10	0					Gardener	72	17	6		
			485	5	9					439	1	2
Miscellaneous :												
25	0	0					Uniforms... ..	27	10	0		
5	11	0					Sundries	4	14	9		
1	4	10					Research Associations	3	13	3		
10	13	9					Telephone and Telegrams	9	12	10		
			42	9	7					45	10	10
B. MANAGEMENT.												
11	14	0					Printing	11	16	6		
9	2	4					Postages, Cheques, Stationery, Books, and Sundries	12	18	1		
1	16	0					Bank Charges on Overdraft, etc. ...	7	6			
41	1	0					Secretarial help and Auditor	41	1	0		
			63	13	4					66	3	1
			0	0	0		Pound Day			1	10	6
			14	16	9		Alexandra Rose Day (Flowers, etc.) ...			13	13	3
C. ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT.												
49	10	3					X-Ray Plates, Tubes, etc.	121	6	4		
52	10	0					Honorarium to Hon. Radiographer ...	52	10	0		
			102	0	3					173	16	4
			0	0	0		Reserve Fund to meet cost of new Electrical Equipment			200	0	0
			0	0	0		Heating Apparatus for Operations Theatre and Wards			112	15	0
			9	15	5		Wireless Installation			7	13	0
			£2068	10	8					£2320	13	1

I have examined the foregoing with the Books and Vouchers
and found same in accordance therewith.

T. G. HALE, Auditor.

19th September, 1928.

LIST OF GIFTS.

Illustrated Papers, etc.

H.R.H. PRINCESS BEATRICE.

Newspapers, Magazines, Books, etc.

Mr. G. H. Brown	Mr. Baker	Miss Sweetland
Proprietors, <i>Daily Telegraph</i>	British Red Cross and Order of St. John Hospital Library	R.A.O. Buffaloes, Prince of Wales and Royal Sovereign Lodges
Miss K. S. Perceval	Amalgamated Press	Mrs. G. Tillett
Dr. Hartill	Mrs. Walker	
Mr. Waight		

Flowers, Fruit, Vegetables, etc.

Holy Trinity Church, Cowes	Osborne Lodge of Free-Masons	The Ladies Fanny and Blanche Stanhope
Lady Gort	St. James' Church, East Cowes	Mr. A. E. Long
Whippingham Church	Lady Baring	Mr. Warne
All Saints' Ch., Gurnard	Miss Sweetland	Mrs. Norris
Northwood Church	Mr. Pillar	Mr. Morris
St. Mary's Church	Mrs. Wilfred Ward	Mr. H. Cole
Mr. H. S. Guy	Salvation Army, Cowes	Rev. G. R. Duxbury
E. Cowes Congregational Church		Mrs. Dyett

Meat, Eggs, Butter, Cakes, etc.

Salvation Army	St. Mary's Church	Rev. Cannon E. Judkins
J. O. Barton	Christian Mission, Cowes	Mrs. Wilfred Ward
Mrs. Harvey	Eastmans, Ltd.	Mr. Miller
Primitive and United Methodist Church	Mrs. Smith	Mr. E. Carter
St. Faith's Church	Mr. Morris	
	Mr. Oatley	

Articles of Clothing, Sheets, and Blankets, etc.

I.W. Needlework Guild	Miss Hollis	Lady Constance Butler
Mrs. Lampard	Mrs. Atkinson	Lady G. Guise Moores
Mrs. Claude Douglas	Mrs. Gibson	Whippingham Church
Mrs. Gower	Miss Moore	Ladies Working Party
Mrs. Bowkett	Mrs. Morris	

Toys, Christmas Gifts and Evergreens :

Miss Robertson	E. Cowes Conservative Club	Mr. Morris
Miss Hopkins	Mr. Messenger	Mr. Long
Wray & Sons	Mr. Harvey	Canon Judkins
Sir Geo. & Lady Shedden	Mr. Nelson	Mr. and Mrs. Fox
Mrs. Dewis	(Head Phones).	Rev. J. B. Meyer
Mrs. T. M. Derham	Saunders Medina Club	Miss McKinnon
Mr. Wilson	Mr. and Mrs. Sweetland	(Gramophone).
Mrs. Hibbert	Mr. J. O. Barton	St. Mary's Church Lads
Miss Hoskyns		(Collection Boxes).

LIST OF ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS, 1927-1928.

								£	s.	d.
His Most Gracious Majesty the King ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	0
H.R.H. Princess Beatrice ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	0
Atkey, B. L. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Atkey, D. (Fountain Garage) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Badcock, Miss ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Bailey, R. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Ball, G. W., J.P., C.A. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Barrett, Alfred, J.P. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0
Brading, H. W. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Boyd, T. A. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Clarkson, H. T. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Co-Operative Society, Cowes ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Curry, J. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Dear and Morgan, Messrs. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Douglas, Lt. Col. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Dyett, Mrs. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
East Cowes Gas Co. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0
Fish, Robert, The late ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Forster, Mrs. A., 1926/7 £1 1s. 0d., 1927/8 £1 1s. 0d. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Gallagher, J. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Gort, Eleanor The Right Hon. Viscountess ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	0
Gretton, Frederick (the late) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Guinness, A. E. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	0
Guttridge, A. J., C.C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hale, T. G. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Harvey, E. & Sons ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hastie, P. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hillyer, G. A. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
H., A. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hoffmeister, Mrs. William ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Hudson, Exors. of the late Capt. T. K. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	19	1
Hudson, K. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Hunt, Jas., F.C.I.S. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Isle of Wight County Education Committee ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0
Lampard, J. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Lewis, Miss D. F. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Marvin, G. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0
Marshall, Lady ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
May, Miss E. M. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	0
Moilliett, Rev. B. R. Keir ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	0
Mullett, R. S. B. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Nayler, John, J.P. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Ratsey, Miss E.	1	1	0
Ratsey, Miss Mary P.	1	1	0
Ratsey, T. C.	2	0	0
Ratsey, T. W.	2	0	0
Richardson, Thos.	0	10	0

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							£	s.	d.
Brought forward							110	16	1
Saunders, Miss H. A.	1	1	0
Seymour, Mrs. Edgar	1	1	0
Shedden, Sir George, J.P.	3	3	0
Shedden, Lady	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Smith, A. M.	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	10	0
Sweetland, W. H.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Tillett, Mrs. F. C.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0
Watts and Son, Messrs. E.	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	0
White, Mrs. Mabel	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Wilkins, Mrs. Marjorie	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	0
Woodyear and Sons, Messrs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Woodyear, G. M.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Messrs. J. S. White and Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	0	0
Clubs :—									
Royal Yacht Squadron	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0
East Cowes Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Foresters' Friendly Society	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Cowes Conservative	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Northwood Lodge of Oddfellows	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Cowes Rotary	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Gurnard Bowling	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Island Ramblers Cycling	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	0
Whippingham Lodge of Oddfellows, per Mr. Marsh	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Westminster Bank	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Lloyds Bank	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
E. Cowes Naval Brigade	...	...	...	...	...	...		10	6
V.A.D. Cowes	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
I.W. Licensed Victuallers Association	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
							190	5	7
Employees of Messrs. J. S. White & Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	...	337	10	0
„ „ S. E. Saunders, Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	13	1
„ „ G. Marvin & Son	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	1	1
„ „ W. H. Brading & Son	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	0	0
„ „ Electric Light Works, Kingston	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	16	0
„ „ Groves & Guttridge	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	0
„ „ Jas. Ball & Sons & Hillis Brick Yard	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	0	0
„ „ E. Watts & Sons	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8	2
„ „ Ratsey & Lapthorn	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	12	6
„ „ W. White & Sons	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	3	10
„ „ Cowes Gas Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	10	0
„ „ P. Atkey & Sons	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	9	6
„ „ Cowes Ferry	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8	4
„ „ Cowes Post Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	6
„ „ Isle of Wight Constabulary...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
„ „ H. Bannister & Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	9
„ „ T. Gange & Sons	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	13	0
„ „ F. J. Phillips, Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Amalgamated Society of Woodworkers	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
							552	0	9
							£742	6	4

DONATIONS.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Lt. Col. Claud and Mrs.				Brought forward ...	93	13	5
Douglas (In commemoration of their Golden Wedding) ...	10	0	0	Russell, Mrs. ...	1	0	0
Cole, G. H. ...	7	0	0	James, R. ...	1	0	0
Dominey, F. E. ...	5	5	0	Moore, Mrs. ...	1	0	0
Williams, Miss ...	5	0	0	Perry, Miss ...	1	0	0
Benton, Mrs. ...	4	4	0	Moore, A. ...	1	0	0
Carr, H. ...	4	0	0	Ince, A. ...	1	0	0
Xmas Cake Competition				Iliffe, T. ...	1	0	0
per J. O. Barton ...	4	0	0	Ballard, Mrs. I. ...	1	0	0
Rice, Mrs. ...	3	10	0	Marshall, Mrs. ...	1	0	0
Broome, Miss ...	3	1	0	Sheath, D. ...	1	0	0
Collection, per B. C.				Coghlan, Miss ...	1	0	0
Bolwell ...	3	12	0	Shedden Esplanade			
New, Miss ...	3	0	0	Tablet Fund, per B.			
W.M.T. ...	3	0	0	Hallas ...		15	0
Smithers, Mrs. ...	3	0	0	Weller, Mr. ...		12	6
Xmas Carollers—				Per Dr. Hartill ...		12	0
per Miss Shedden ...	2	15	7	Tiltman, Mrs. ...		10	6
per Miss Harris ...		8	10	Samson, Mrs. ...		10	0
Clarke, Mrs. ...	2	2	0	Carter, F. M. ...		10	6
Johnson, F. ...	2	2	0	Hounsell, Mr....		10	0
Rudstone Read ...	2	0	0	Churchill, Mrs. F. ...		10	0
Fenn, P. A. ...	2	0	0	Line, A. A. ...		10	0
Constance, Miss E. ...	2	0	0	Suter, Mrs. ...		10	0
Fox, H. ...	2	0	0	Wood, Mrs. ...		10	0
Goodenough, S. ...	2	0	0	Rickman, Mrs. ...		10	0
James, Mr. ...	2	0	0	Rickman, W. ...		10	0
Bowkett, Mrs. ...	2	0	0	Browitt, M. ...		10	0
Crack, Mrs. ...	1	10	0	Brudenell, G. ...		10	0
Samuel, Mrs. A. M. ...	1	10	0	Taylor, Mrs. ...		10	0
Warne, Mrs. ...	1	10	0	Clarke, R. ...		10	0
Green, Mrs. ...	1	10	0	Carter, Mrs. ...		10	0
Goyne, Mrs. F. ...	1	5	0	Sewley, C. ...		7	6
Day, F. ...	1	5	0	Beale, D. ...		5	0
Russell, D. ...	1	1	0	Hendy, Mrs. ...		5	0
Arnell, J. ...	1	1	0	Goose Club ...		5	0
Hunt, A. E. ...	1	1	0	Wakelin, Mrs. ...		5	0
Oatley, J. ...	1	0	0	Per Mrs. Forster ...		2	6
Kearney, Mr. ...	1	0	0	Anon £2, £2, 5/-, 2/6	4	7	6
Carried forward ...	£93	13	5		£120	1	5

COLLECTED FROM THE EMPLOYEES, &c., AT THE FOLLOWING PLACES :—

Per Mr. G. GROVES, C.C.

	£	s.	d.
Box on Hospital Door ...	4	0	5
Trinity Wharf, East Cowes, per Capt. Wyne ...	5	10	6
Pilot Cutter Culver ...	1	0	0
East Cowes Post Office ...	0	5	0
Cowes Model Yacht Co., Clarence Road, East Cowes ...	1	0	0
	£11	15	11

Per Mr. G. W. GATES.

EMPLOYEES.

Contributions collected by Mr. Gates amounting to £17 ls. 7d.
will be found on page 16

Collections per Mr. G. W. Gates—continued.

COUNTER BOXES.							£	s.	d.
Timothy White & Co.	...	...	...	...	...	...		17	0
A. E. Shergold	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
A. Beere	...	...	...	...	...	...		5	6
G. Cole & Son	...	...	...	...	...	...		2	6
C. Brown's Stores	...	...	...	...	...	...		5	0
Kingston Arms Inn	...	...	...	...	...	...		17	0
Painters Arms Inn	...	...	...	...	...	...		15	0
Hillyer, G. A.	...	...	...	...	...	...		3	0
Collections from Yachts, Cowes Regatta Week	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5	6
							£11	11	6

CONGREGATIONAL COLLECTIONS.

St. James' Church, East Cowes	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10	0
St. Mary's, Cowes	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	11	8
Holy Trinity, Cowes	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	15	0
Northwood Church	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	0
Whippingham Church	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0
Roman Catholic Church, Cowes	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	0
St. Faith's Church, Cowes	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	0
Roman Catholic Church, E. Cowes	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Cowes P.S.A.	...	...	...	...	...	...		15	0
							£36	8	8

ENTERTAINMENTS.

Cowes Operatic Society	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	10	0
Wight Strollers	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	0
Whist Drives and Dances—									
East Cowes Conservative Club	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	10	6
Per Mrs. Noall	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	3
Trinity Hall, per A. E. Lowein	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11	2
Ansells Dance Band	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	13	6
Gurnard Horticultural Society, per H. S. Guy	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	15	0
„ Boys' Brigade Sports, per H. S. Guy	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	10	0
„ Boys' Brigade Sports, Drumhead Collection	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0
Concerts—									
Parkhurst Military Band, per F. S. Garrett	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	6	0
Pupils of Miss Caws	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	2	6
Cowes Amateur Orchestra	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	16	9
E. Cowes Sparklers—Miss Ivy Horn	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	3
Junior Concert Party	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	11	0
Per Mrs. M. Denham, P.L. Buds	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	14	0
Merry Revellers, per Mrs. V. House	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	0
E. Cowes Jazz Band Collection at Football Match, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	0	0
Toc H	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Draughtsman's Society Lecture, per Mr. McKinnes	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9	0
							£157	16	11

PATIENTS' PAYMENTS.

General	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	19	6
Prudential Approved Society	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	15	0
National Deposit Approved Society	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	14	3
							£122	8	9

INVESTMENTS.

Honorary Trustees.

SIR GODFREY BARING, Bart.

G. W. BALL, Esq., J.P., C.A.

SIR GEORGE SHEDDEN, J.P., C.A.

<i>Donors :</i>		Nominal Value.				Annual Income.			
		£	s.	d.	...	£	s.	d.	
The late J. A. James, Esq.	...	10,926	16	5	...	312	3	0	
The late W. D. James, Esq.	...								
(For particulars as to investment see page 20).									
Employees of J. Samuel White & Co., Ltd., Works Hospital Committee, invested in 3½ per cent. Conversion Loan		3,240	0	0	...	113	8	0	
The late Mrs. A. A. Carnt, 3½ per cent. Conversion Loan		1,430	0	0	...	50	1	0	
Sundry Legacies, etc., invested in 3½ per cent. India Stock		1,134	16	5	...	39	14	4	
Legacy of 2,000 guineas bequeathed by the late T. G. Woodyear, Esq. ; £800 Repaid by N.S. Wales Government (Donations from the Old Cowes Cottage Hospital Trustees and the late Mr. F. C. Carnt) ; plus Sundry Amounts available from General Funds 1925 a/c invested in 4½ per cent. Conversion Loan		3,500	0	0	...	157	10	0	
Total		£20,231	12	10	...	£672	16	4	

History of the Frank-James Memorial Home.

The " Frank-James " Memorial Home was originally designed, built, and maintained as an Alms House for aged and disabled seamen, married couples being received and accommodated in the double cabins on the ground floor of the east and west wings of the building.

In 1899 Mr. Arthur and Mr. William James changed the use of the Institution, pensioning the old inmates and utilizing the house as a Convalescent Home for invalided soldiers from the South African War. The first invalids were admitted on April 13th, 1900.

At the close of 1902, there being no further need for the Convalescent Home, Mr. Arthur and Mr. William James offered the Home for a probationary period of two years to H.R.H. Princess Beatrice, with an endowment of £300 annually for a Cottage Hospital for Cowes, East Cowes, and parts of the Parishes of Whippingham and Northwood. They promised that, should they be satisfied with the working and maintenance of the Institution, at the end of that period they would make the gift absolute to the two towns and districts specified.

At the expiration of the probationary period on June 30th, 1905, Mr. Arthur and Mr. William James expressed their approval and satisfaction with the management of the Institution and the work accomplished, and took the necessary steps for formally and permanently making over their munificent gift to suitable Trustees for the benefit of the above districts.

The following five gentlemen having consented to act were appointed :—

- (1) The Rt. Hon. Richard Everard Baron Alverstone, G.C.M.G.
- (2) The Rt. Hon. Alfred Frederick George Beresford, Earl of Scarborough.
- (3) John Arthur James, Esq.
- (4) Sir Godfrey Baring, Bart., M.P.
- (5) Edwin Charles Carnt, Esq.

On the eighth of January, 1906, the Declaration of Trust, the conveyance of the building and land, and the securities for £10,000 worth of Stock were handed over by the Donors' Solicitors to the Trustees. The Deeds and Securities were placed in a strong box and deposited in the names of the Trustees at the Cowes branch of the London and County Bank.

The following are the particulars of the Investment of the Endowment Fund :—

Amount of Stock Purchased.	Description of Stock.	Amount of Cash Invested in each Purchase.	Amount of Annual Dividend.
£ s. d. 2568 3 0 2670 0 0	India 3% Stock East India Railway 3% New Debenture Stock	£ s. d. 2494 7 5 2505 12 7	£ s. d. 77 0 8 80 2 0
2560 15 5 3127 18 0	Metropolitan Water " B " 3% Stock Midland Railway* Co. 2½% Debenture Stock	2500 0 0 2500 0 0	76 16 4 78 4 0
10,926 16 5		£10,000 0 0	£312 3 0

* Now L.M. & S. 4 per cent. Debenture Stock. £1955 (Nominal).

At a meeting of the General Committee on April 10th, 1906, the details of the final transfer of the munificent gift of Mr. Arthur and Mr. William James were officially announced. Mr. Mundell, the Hon. Sec. of the old Cowes

Cottage Hospital Scheme, also announced that in accordance with his Committee's promise they would then hand over their funds to two trustees. Sir Godfrey Baring, Bart., and the late Mr. E. C. Carnt having consented to accept the Trust, these funds were handed over to them for the use and benefit of the Institution.

The following is an extract of the agreement submitted by the latter :—

We, "the Donors," as aforesaid, do hereby agree to hand over to the "Local Trustees" of the Frank James' Memorial Home (Cottage Hospital) as above stated, the sum of £766 4s. 5d. (being the amount raised for the late proposed Cottage Hospital with accumulated interest thereon) to hold as an "Endowment Fund," to invest the same as they may think fit, the interest to be used for the maintenance of the 'Frank James' Memorial Home (Cottage Hospital) according to the existing rules—and in the event of the Trust being revoked as per paragraph 3 of the Trust Deeds—then to such person or persons as they shall think fit for charitable purposes in the Urban District of Cowes and East Cowes, Isle of Wight, in the County of Hampshire.

PROVIDING that each of the Donors as above shall be a Vice-President of the said Frank James' Memorial Home (Cottage Hospital) for life in accordance with Rule 4 of the Trust Deeds of the said Hospital and,

ALSO that a Brass Tablet be placed over a bed in each of the wards (male and female) of the said Hospital with the following inscription engraved thereon, viz. :—

"This bed was endowed by the Subscribers of the late proposed Cottage Hospital Fund, in Memory of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria.

Trustees :—

Alfred James Matthews, Chairman

Henry Shepard, Vice-Chairman

George William Ball, Treasurer

John Edward Mundell, Hon. Secretary."

These conditions the General Committee gratefully and willingly accepted.

The transfer having been effected, the late Mr. E. C. Carnt most generously out of his own pocket made the amount up to £800 by a gift of £33 15s. 7d. This money was invested by the Trustees in the following Stock :—

£800 worth of New South Wales 3½ per cent.

(Redeemed May, 1925, and cash re-invested in 4½% Conversion Loan.)

At the same Meeting, the General Committee requested the Sub-Committee to discuss, amend, and make recommendations for a set of rules culled from the late Mr. W. G. Carnt's code and submitted by Mr. H. Paget Cooke to the Committee as a suggested basis of the rules for the government of the Institution.

Having considered and revised this set of rules, the Sub-Committee placed the result of their deliberations before the General Committee on September 19th, 1906, when the new list was adopted and subsequently circulated among the Governors.

During the financial year, 1906-07, the Sub-Committee decided to create an Emergency Fund by purchasing £770 2s. 2d. of India 3½ per cent. Stock on 5th December, 1906, at a cost of £800, this sum being available from the General Account Balance at the London and County Bank, Cowes. Sir G. Shedden, the Hon. Treasurer, and Mr. H. W. Ewen, the Hon. Secretary, were appointed Trustees. This Fund was increased in September, 1910, by the purchase of £213 India 3½ per cent. Stock at a cost of £200, being further amount available from the General Account Balance at Bank, as shown on Balance Sheet, 1909-10.

In March, 1919, this Fund was again increased by the purchase of additional 3½ per cent. Stock, £151 14s. 3d., at a cost of £104 18s. 5d., being investment of legacies of £54 18s. 5d. and £50, bequeathed by Miss Woolgar and Mrs. S. Stevens, respectively. The total Stock thus held is therefore £1134 16s. 5d. of India 3½ per cent. Stock.

POUND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, 21st DECEMBER, 1927.

Organisers :—

WEST COWES :—MRS. A. FORSTER.

EAST COWES :—MRS. T. M. DERHAM,
MISS E. E. SMITH, Matron.

GIFTS RECEIVED.

Sugar	...	...	58	lbs.	Beans	...	...	3	lbs.
Tea	...	...	17	,,	Sweets	...	...	1	bottle
Jams & Marmalade			16	,,	Oranges	...	...	3	doz.
Butter	...	...	2	,,	Apples	...	...	12	lbs.
Rice, etc.	...	...	20	,,	Prunes	...	...	2	,,
Coffee	...	...	1	,,	Turnips	...	...	4	,,
Cocoa	...	...	2½	,,	Parsnips	...	...	4	,,
Mustard	...	...	¼	,,	Potatoes	...	...	3½	sacks
Suet	...	...	1	,,	Malted Milk	...	...	2	bottles
Soap	...	...	2	,,	Bovril	...	...	2	,,
Eggs	...	...	1	doz.	Cash	...	...	15s.	6d.
Biscuits	...	...	1	tin					

Form of Bequest or Legacy.

Charitable persons are earnestly solicited to benefit the Institution by Will, for which purpose the following form is recommended:—

I give and bequeath to the Treasurer, for the time being, of the “FRANK-JAMES MEMORIAL HOME COTTAGE HOSPITAL,” Adelaide Grove, East Cowes, Isle of Wight, the sum of

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to be paid, free of Legacy Duty, out of such part of my Estate as may by law be bequeathed for charitable purposes, and to be applied to the general purposes of the said Hospital.

Bankers' Order Form.

Date.....

To Messrs.....

Please pay to Westminster Bank, Cowes, the sum of
£ : : for the credit of the “FRANK-JAMES
MEMORIAL HOME COTTAGE HOSPITAL,” and continue
to pay the same amount annually on July 1st in each year until
further notice, and charge the same to my account.

£ : :

(Signature).....

STAMP.

